IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN DIVISION

No. 5:13-CR-111-1H No. 5:16-CV-267-H

IKEDO FIELDS,)	
Petitioner,)	
V.))	ORDER
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
Respondent.)	

This matter is before the court on petitioner's Notice of Withdrawal of Motion to Vacate, [DE #174]. Due to the unique procedural posture of this case and out of an abundance of caution, the court construes petitioner's filing as a motion to voluntarily dismiss his claims without prejudice pursuant to Rule 41(a)(2). There being no objection, the court GRANTS petitioner's motion, [DE #174], and hereby DISMISSES WITHOUT PREJUDICE petitioner's claims against respondent. The clerk is directed to close this case.

This 87^{N} day of January 2019.

MALCOLM J. HOWARD

Senior United States District Judge

At Greenville, NC #35